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Tender

# Provision of Oceanographic CTDs (conductivity, temperature, and depth) for Moored Buoys on behalf of the Met Office

Met Office

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## Scope

#### Reference

DN798738

## **Description**

We are looking for a 3 year contract with the option to extend for a further year. This would be a zero-commitment framework for the delivery of Oceanographic CTDs (conductivity, temperature, and depth) for Moored Buoys on behalf of the Met Office.

The advert can be found:

https://procontract.due-north.com/ProjectManagement/ProjectDashboard?projectId=413b 2c5e-cbca-f011-813a-005056b64545

#### **Commercial tool**

Establishes a framework

## **Total value (estimated)**

- £395,000 excluding VAT
- £474,000 including VAT

Above the relevant threshold

## **Contract dates (estimated)**

- 16 February 2026 to 15 February 2029
- Possible extension to 16 February 2029
- 3 years, 1 day

Description of possible extension:

1-year optional extension period, providing a 1-month notice period prior to agreement.

## Main procurement category

Goods

#### **CPV** classifications

• 34930000 - Marine equipment

#### **Contract locations**

•	UK -	United	Kingdom
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# **Framework**

# **Maximum number of suppliers**

1

# Maximum percentage fee charged to suppliers

0%

## Framework operation description

See tender documentation for call-off process.

# Award method when using the framework

Without competition

# Contracting authorities that may use the framework

Establishing party only

# **Participation**

## Particular suitability

Small and medium-sized enterprises (SME)

### **Submission**

## **Enquiry deadline**

9 January 2026, 12:00pm

#### Tender submission deadline

14 January 2026, 12:00pm

## Submission address and any special instructions

A copy of the Tender documents must be submitted no later than 12:00 hrs on 14th January 2026 via the Met Office Portal:

https://procontract.due-north.com/register

For any system issues related to registration or accessing the opportunity on the Met Office ProContract Portal please contact the ProContract Helpdesk - by emailing the ProContract support team - <a href="mailto:ProContractSuppliers@proactis.com">ProContractSuppliers@proactis.com</a>

## Tenders may be submitted electronically

Yes

# Languages that may be used for submission

English

# Award decision date (estimated)

29 January 2026

## Award criteria

Name	Description	Туре	Weighting
Quality 60%	Quality 60%	Quality	60%
Cost 30%	Cost 30%	Cost	30%
Social Value 10%	Social Value 10%	Quality	10%

# Other information

# Applicable trade agreements

• Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)

# Conflicts assessment prepared/revised

Yes

# **Procedure**

# **Procedure type**

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#### **Documents**

#### **Associated tender documents**

https://procontract.due-north.com/ProjectManagement/ProjectDashboard?projectId=413b2c5e-cbca-f011-813a-005056b64545

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# Technical specifications to be met

https://procontract.due-north.com/ProjectManagement/ProjectDashboard?projectId=413b2c5e-cbca-f011-813a-005056b64545

# **Contracting authority**

#### **Met Office**

Public Procurement Organisation Number: PVZW-3234-DTLY

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Organisation type: Public authority - central government